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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 1-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed September 24, 2002, thereby extending the date on which the period of response is set to expire from March 17, 2003 to March 24, 2003 (the final date for responding to the final Office Action).

The Advisory Action mailed on March 17, 2003 indicates that the period for reply expires 3 months from the date of the final rejection. However, a Response to final rejection was filed by facsimile and received at the PTO within 2 months (November 25, 2002) of the mail date of the final Office Action (September 24, 2002, the 24<sup>th</sup> of November falling on a Sunday). Therefore the period to reply should expire on the mailing date of the Advisory Action (March 17, 2003). As such, a petition for only a 1 month extension of time needs to be requested.


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